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Memorandum regarding whaling operations of North Pacific
Sea Products Company at Akutan, Alaska.

In a letter of November 1, 1918, from Unalaska, Alaska, Mr. Aller has the following to say regarding operations of the North Pacific Sea Products Company at Akutan:

I have been told that during the season of 1918 about 311 whales were captured in connection with the station's work; that about 59 of these were sperms and about the same number of sulphur-bottoms, or blues; that whale meat is refrigerated at the plant, for which purpose fin-backs are used; and that the refrigerated meat is shipped in a vessel equipped with refrigerating apparatus (the Elihu Thompson?).

*Does not agree with company's report.
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